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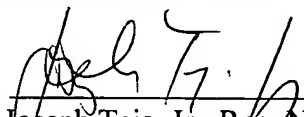
In this Preliminary Amendment, the specification has been amended to correct the priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. §119(e) listed as cross-references to related applications. In particular, U.S. provisional application Serial No. 60/415,897, filed October 3, 2002, entitled "Methods and Apparatus for Illuminating Environments," has been added to the claim for benefits under 35 U.S.C. §119(e). No new matter is added, as provisional application Serial No. 60/415,897 already was incorporated by reference in the present application, as indicated on page 6, lines 21-21, in the specification as filed.

Pursuant to MPEP §201.11 and 37 C.F.R. §1.78(a)(2) and (a)(5), these benefit claims are proper as being made during the pendency of the present application and within four months from the actual filing date of the present application.

Additionally, the specification and drawings have been amended to address various issues noted during the preparation of formal drawings in this application.

No fee is believed to be necessary for this amendment. However, if there is a fee occasioned by this amendment, please charge any deficiency to Deposit Account No. 50/2762.

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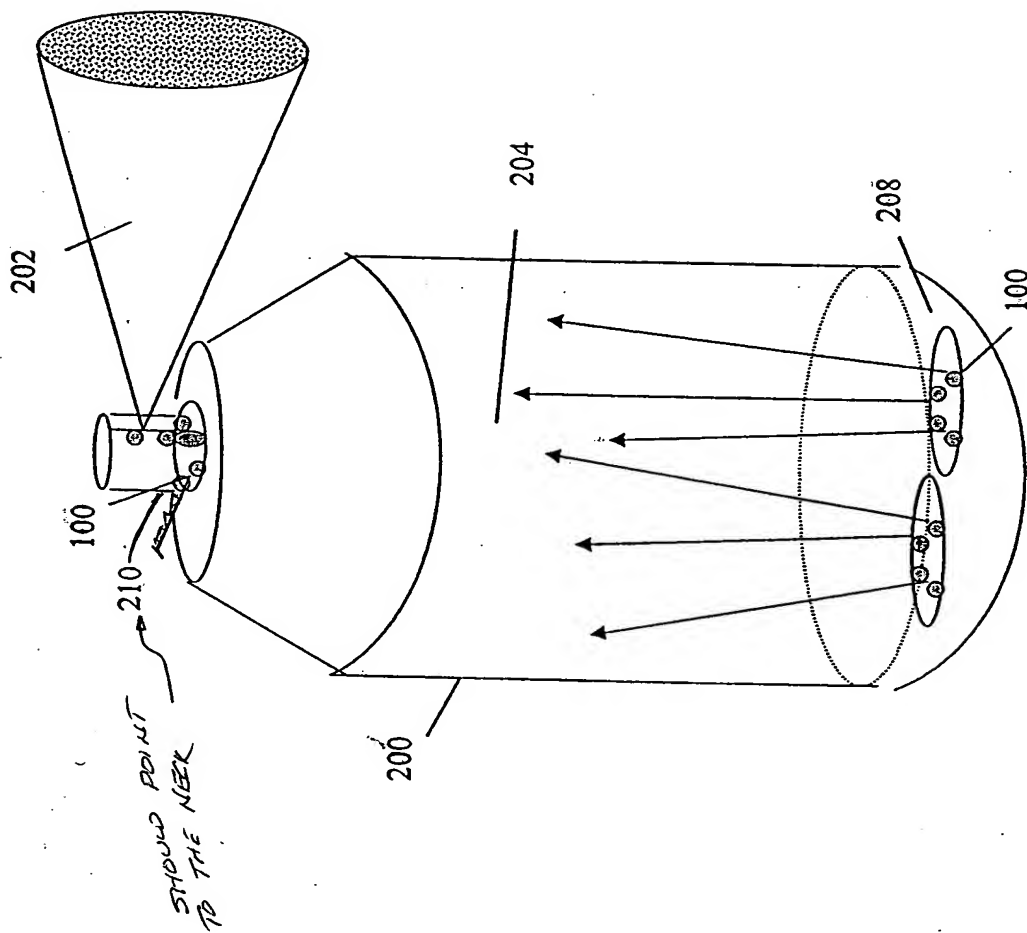


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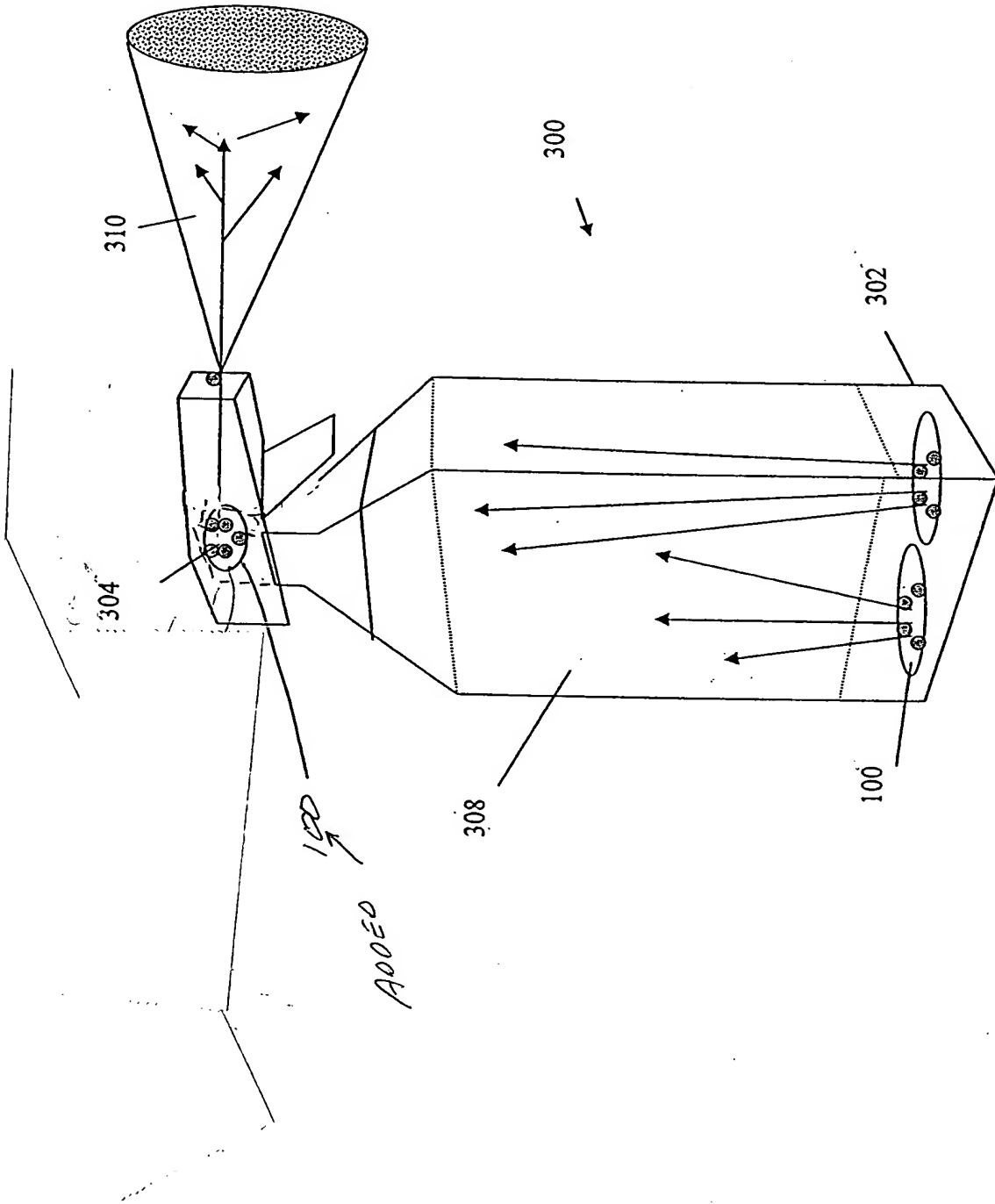


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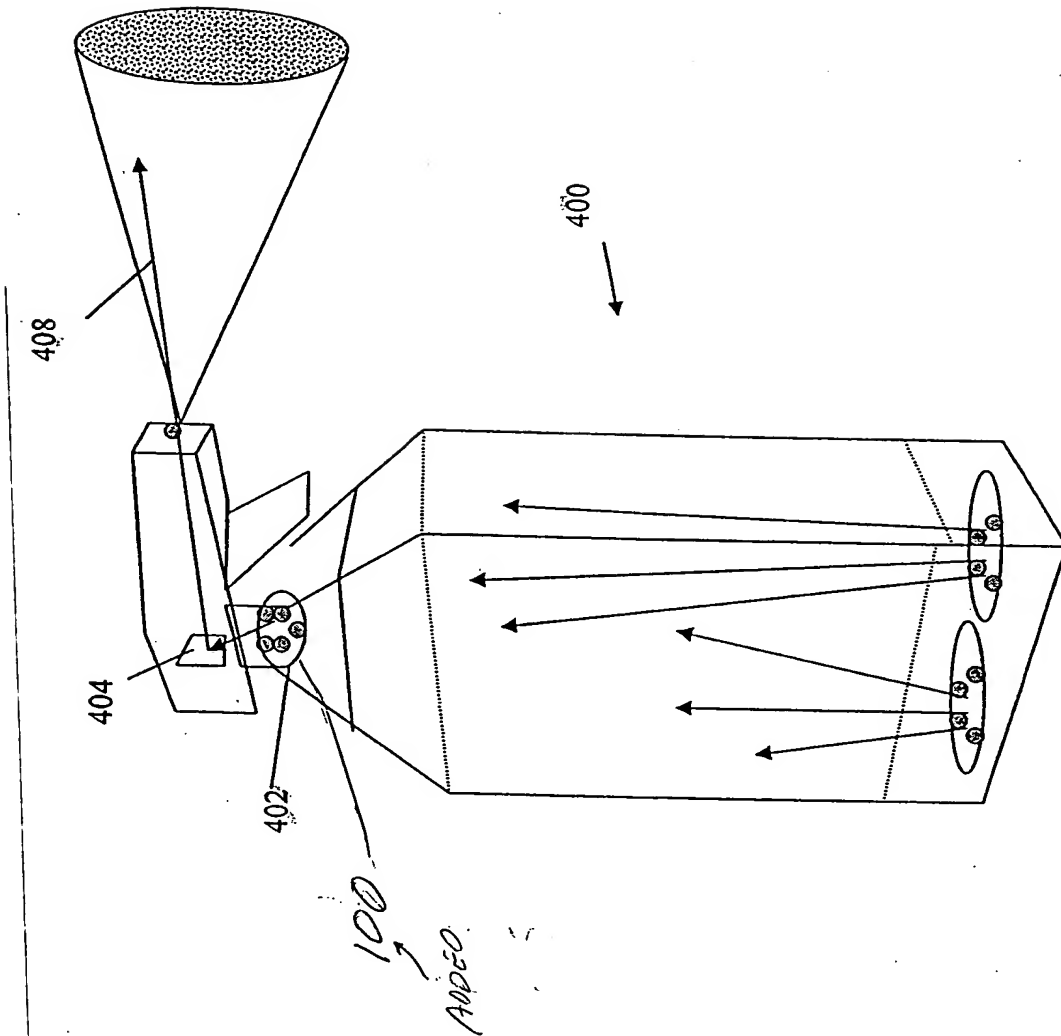
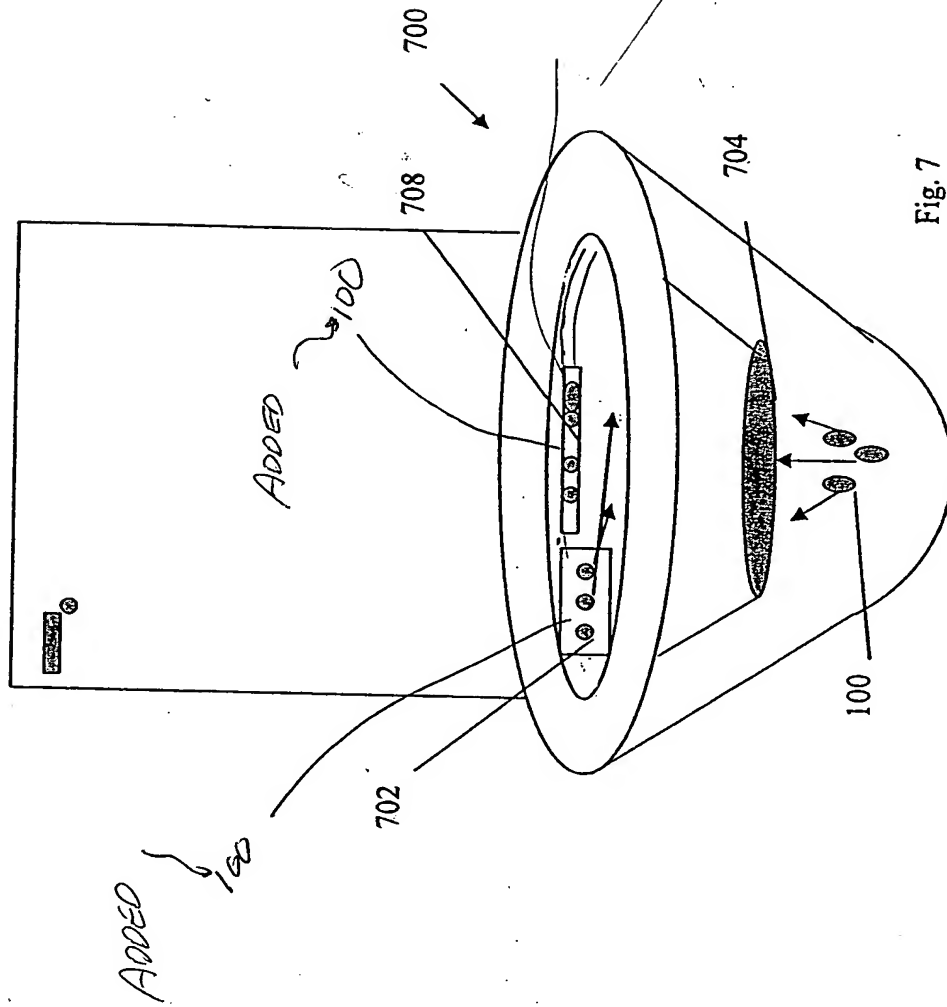


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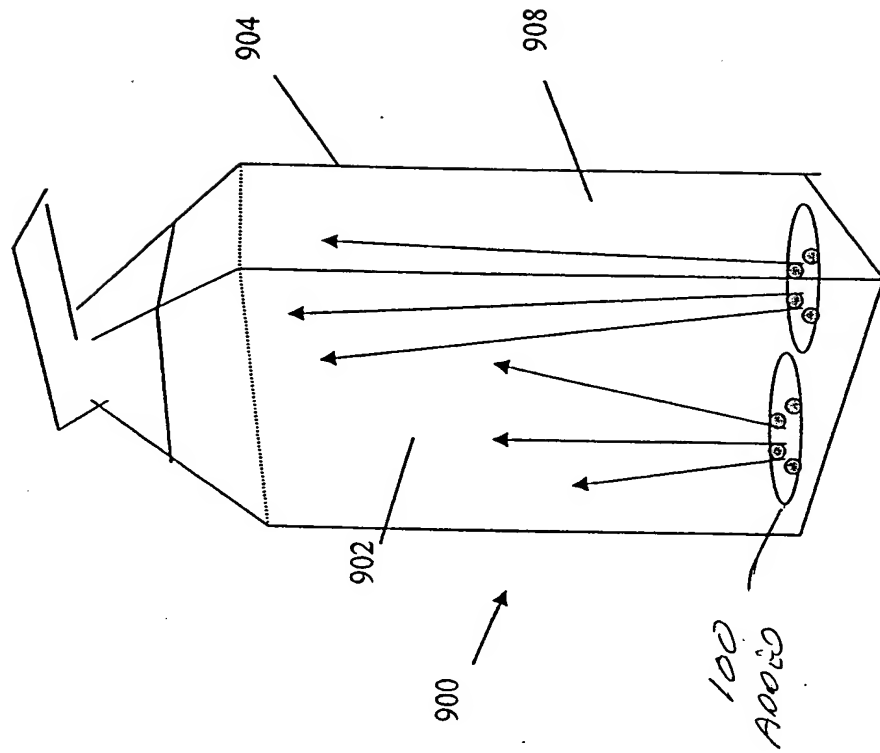
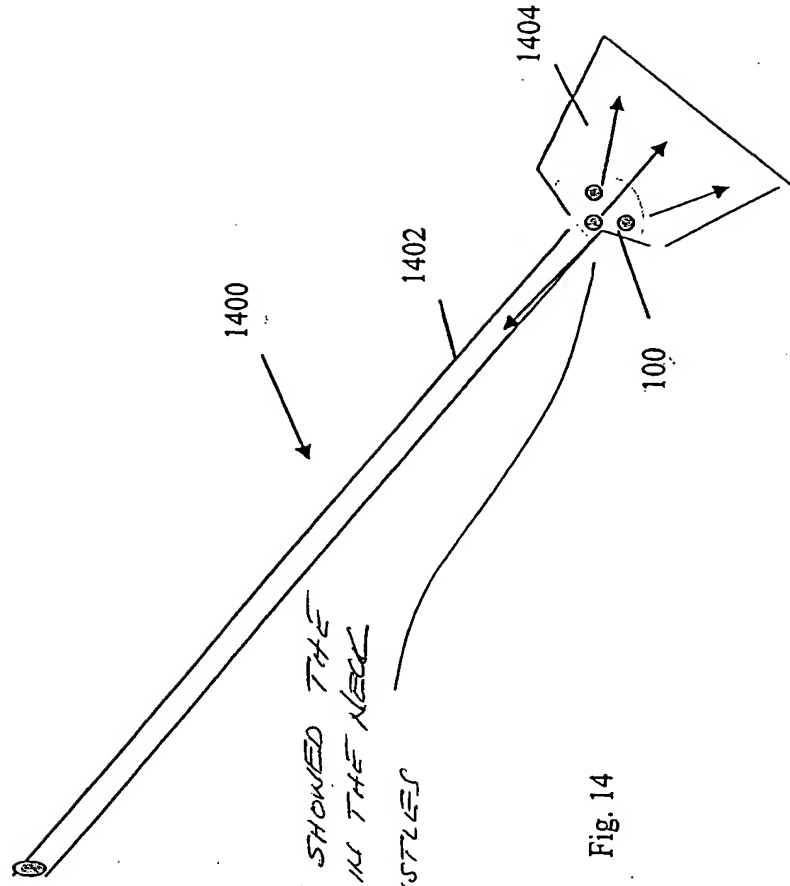


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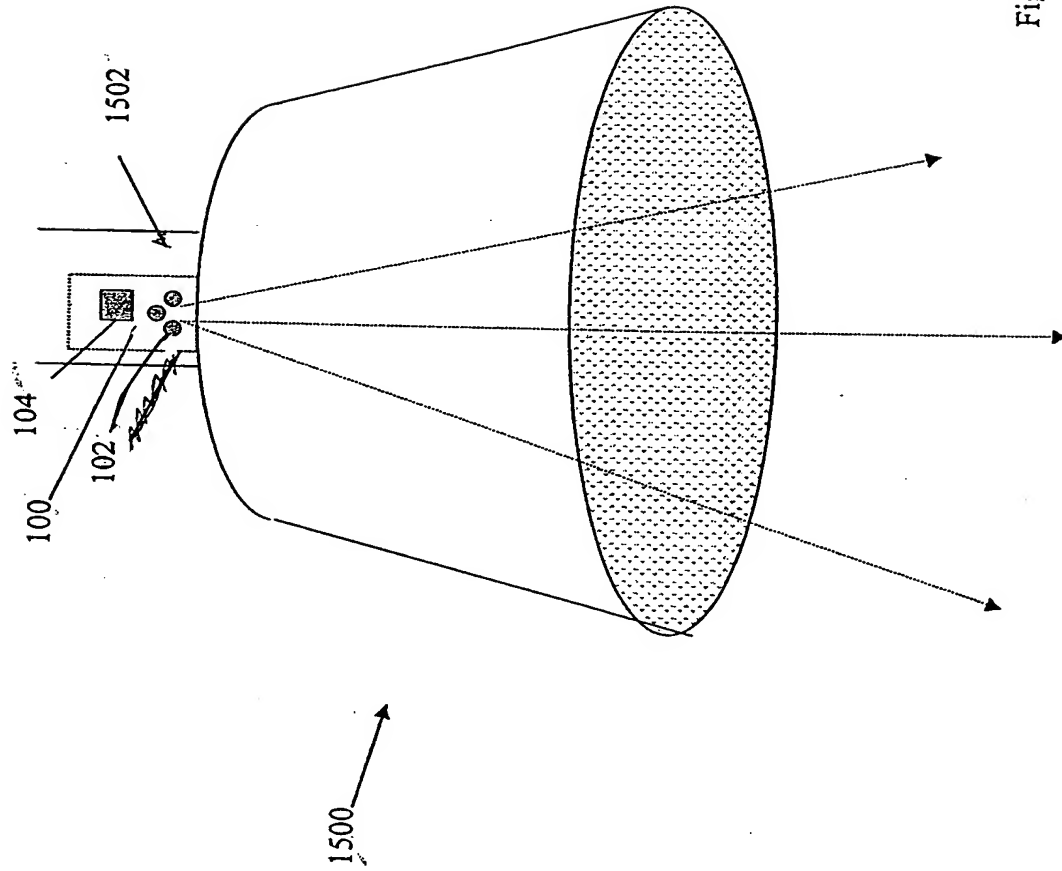


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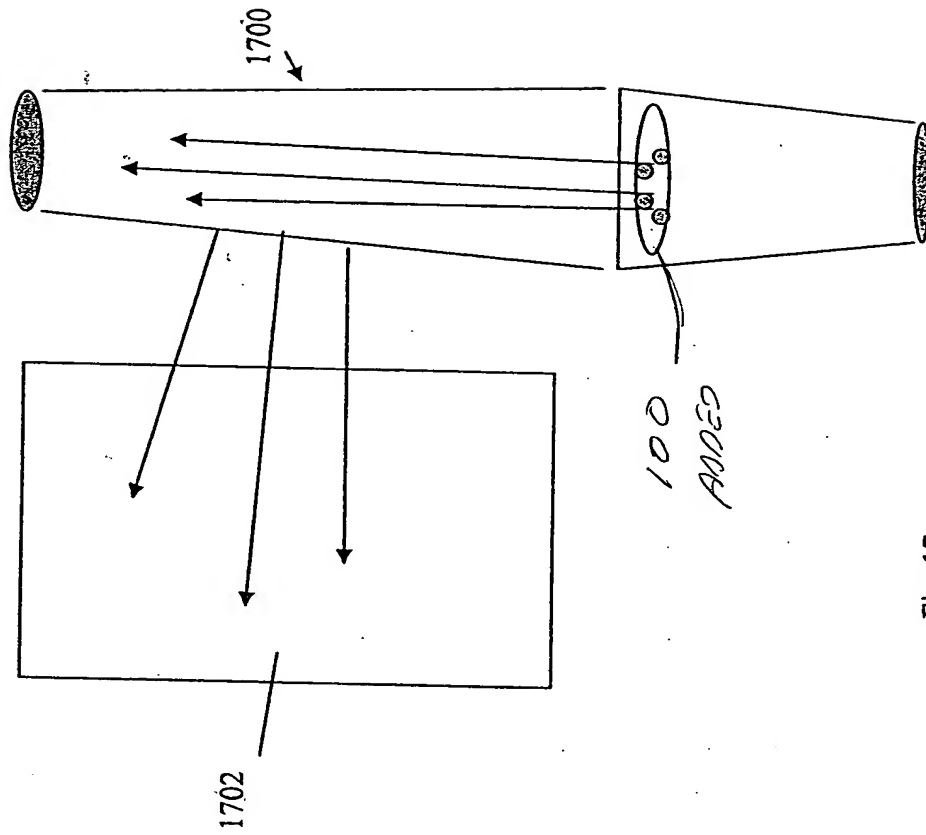
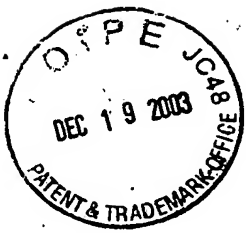


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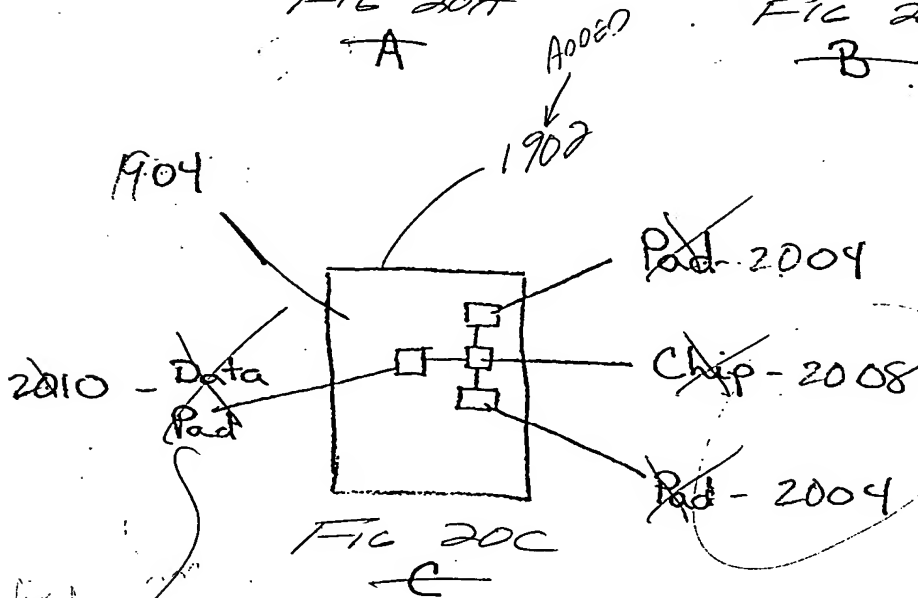
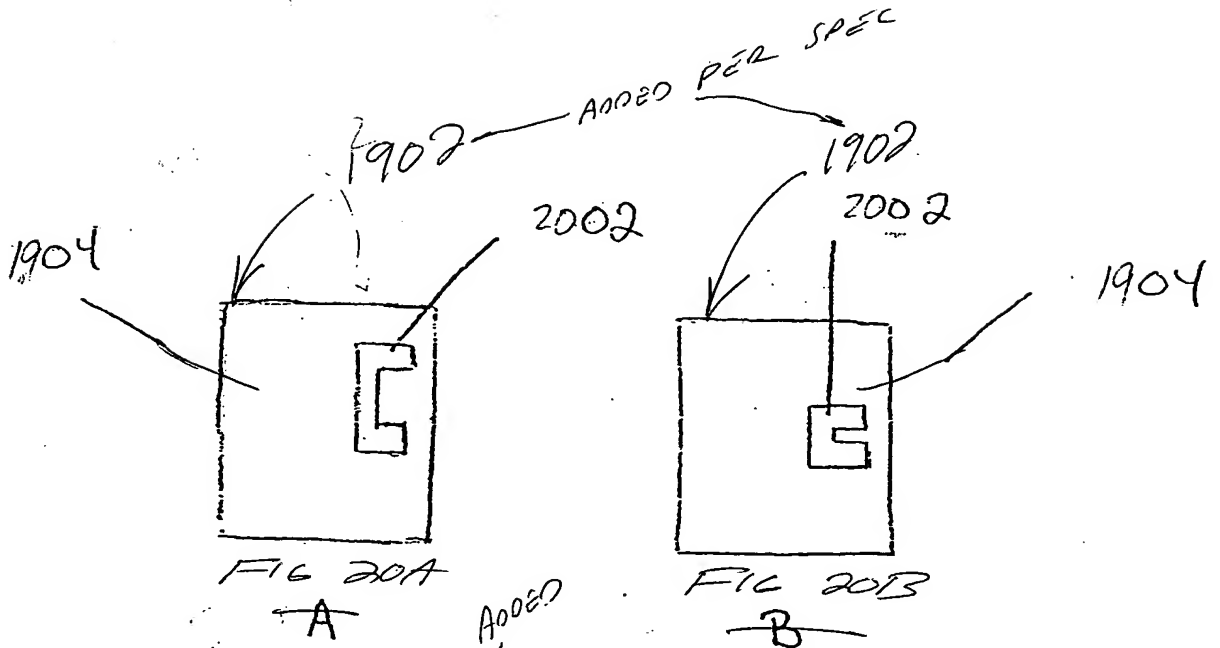


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